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Governor Announces Appointments to Boards and Commissions

HELENA – Governor Steve Bullock today announced appointments to two boards and commissions.

State Tax Appeal Board

• **Dave McAlpin,** Missoula. McAlpin is the former Department of Justice crime lab director, and has extensive experience in both public service and the nonprofit sector. McAlpin earned a Bachelor's degree in Political Science from the University of Montana.

Judicial Nominations Commission

• Lane Larson, Billings. Qualification: lay member. Lane is a small-business owner and journeyman electrician who served in the Montana Legislature for four years, from 2005 to 2009, representing Senate District 22.

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